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**In re Application of:**

Donald L. Yates

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Amendment Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.312(a) (11 pages) with attached

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Fee Addressee for Receipt of PTO Notices Relating to Maintenance Fees (2 pages)